GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2413
ANSWERED ON:13.03.2001
MODERNISATION OF POLICE
BRAJ MOHAN RAM;CHANDRA BHUSHAN SINGH

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government have sought suggestions from the State Governments on the manner in which they would like to utilise the money allocated to them for the modernisation of police forces; (

(b) if so, whether the Government have received any suggestions from the State Governments in this regard; (

(c) if so, the details thereof; (

(d) whether the Government have recently hiked the amount for the modernisation of police forces in the country to Rs.1 000 crores per annum; (

(e) if so, the details in this regard; (

(f) whether the Government have received any proposal in this regard from various States, especially from the newly created States; and
(g) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (I.D. SWAMI)

(a) to (c): Yes, Sir. Suggestions/views of State Governments for modifications in the parameters for allocation of funds under the Scheme for Modernisation of State Police Forces were called for and a few of them have offered their views for inclusion of the following items inter-alia in the Scheme:-

(i) Arms and ammunition of various types instead of only light weaponry;

(ii) Constructions/Renovation of police station buildings, including security of the same;

(iii) Procurement of bullet-proof and mine-proof vehicles;

(iv) Augmentation of facilities in the training institutions;

(v) Construction of permanent/semi-permanent residential and non-residential buildings for police personnel near the work-place;

(vi) Modern communication equipment;

(vii) Procurement of special types of clothes, such as jungle patch dress, jungle boots, Bullet-proof jackets etc.;

(viii) Modern traffic signal equipment; and

(ix) Modern office equipment such as computers, FAX and Zerox Machines etc.;

(d) & (e): Yes, Sir. The details of annual allocation to State Governments are given in the Annexure I.

(f) & (g): Yes, Sir. State-wise details of the plans/proposals received from various States are given in Annexure-II.
Annexure I

Name of the State Annual allocation (Rupees in crore)

Andhra Pradesh	82.00
Arunachal Pradesh	05.20
Assam	38.70
Bihar	54.00
Goa	02.00
Gujarat	50.00

Haryana	22.10
Himachal Pradesh	06.70
Jammu & Kashmir	28.50
Karnataka	75.00
Kerala	31.50
Madhya Pradesh	53.00
Maharashtra	92.10
Manipur	10.50
Meghalaya	05.50
Mizoram	05.50
Nagaland	13.50
Orissa	30.50
Punjab	32.10
Rajasthan	61.10
Sikkim	03.20
Tamilnadu	68.10
Tripura	05.60
Uttar Pradesh	123.52
West Bengal	56.50
Chhatisgarh	19.00
Jharkhand	18.00
Uttaranchal	06.58
Total	1000.00

Annexure II

Name of the State Plans/Proposals received for the year 2000-2001 (Rupees in crore)

Andhra Pradesh	120.00
Arunachal Pradesh	06.09
Assam	92.24
Bihar	108.46
Goa	04.30
Gujarat	106.42
Haryana	77.88
Himachal Pradesh	01.36
Jammu & Kashmir	57.10
Karnataka	146.05
Kerala	60.77
Madhya Pradesh	101.30
Maharashtra	170.65
Manipur	26.81
Meghalaya	04.28
Mizoram	11.53
Nagaland	13.50
Orissa	61.00
Punjab	67.33
Rajasthan	61.00
Sikkim	04.27
Tamilnadu	140.46
Tripura	25.00
Uttar Pradesh	250.05
West Bengal	137.96
Chhatisgarh	20.13
Jharkhand	60.08
Uttaranchal	17.57